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MALTWEB MULTI-AXIS VIEWING INTERFACE AND HIGHER LEVEL SCOPING

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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure embodied in 37 CFR §1.56, Applicants wish to bring to the attention of the Examiner the following additional patents, publications and/or other information as cited in a corresponding Australian patent application:

The enclosed references are listed on the attached Form 1449.

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| 1. WO 98/34179 | Dated 08-06-1998 | Time Base Pty. Limited |
| 2. Legal Database Program entitled STATUS
utilizing Folio Bound VIEWS.* | | Published 1994 |

* Enclosed are copies of STATUS help information, including a help screen on navigating through the system.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on May 8, 2002.

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The Applicants submit that the STATUS product provides only a single point on a first axis to provide context for the material being displayed to the user. The first and second display regions of the present application provide a user with the ability to navigate a document along any number of provided axes, whilst maintaining context for the portion of text currently being viewed.

Copies of cited items are enclosed in accordance with 37 CFR §1.98.

The filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed as an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in §1.56(b).

It is believed that no fee is required for consideration of the submitted items. Should any fee be required, however, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

Respectfully submitted

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